FIG.1

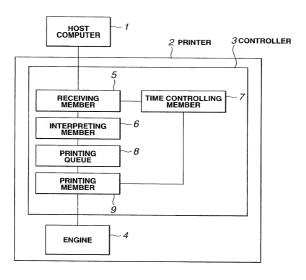


FIG.2

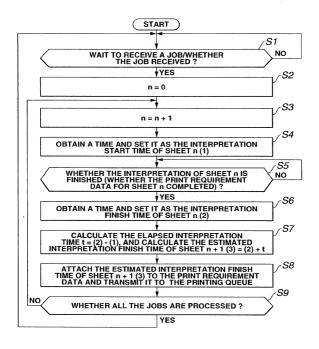
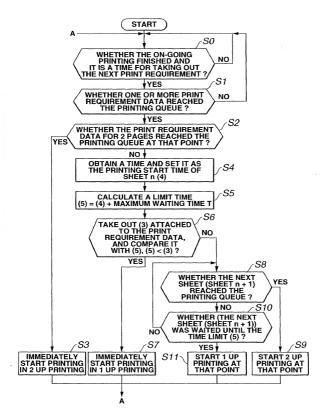
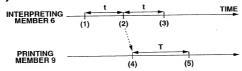


FIG.3



PROCESSING TIMING OF SHEET n

FIG.4(A)



- t: ELAPSED INTERPRETATION TIME ((2) (1)) T: MAXIMUM WAITING TIME

- (1): INTERPRETATION START
 TIME OF SHEET n
 (2): INTERPRETATION FINISH
 TIME OF SHEET n
 (3): ESTIMATED INTERPRETATION
 FINISH TIME OF SHEET n + 1
 (4): PRINT START TIME OF SHEET n
 (5): TIME LIMIT ((4) + T)

FIG.4(B)

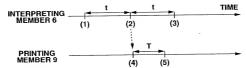
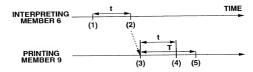


FIG.4(C)



(3): ESTIMATED PRINTING START TIME OF SHEET n + 1 ((4) + t)

FIG.5(A)



- (2): INTERPRETATION FINISH
 TIME OF PAGE m
 (3): ESTIMATED INTERPRETATION
 FINISH TIME OF PAGE m + 1 ((2) + t'm + 1)
 FINISH TIME OF PAGE m (COMPLETION
 TIME OF PRINT PREPARATION)
 (5): TIME LIMIT ((4) + 1)
- tm: ELAPSED INTERPRETATION TIME OF PAGE m t'm + 1: ESTIMATED ELAPSED INTERPRETATION TIME OF PAGE m + 1 (t₁ + t₂ + ... t_m / m)

FIG.5(b)

